

# Gilsum

The inhabitants of the Town of Gilsum in the County of Cheshire in the state of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified that the Annual Town Meeting will be held as follows:

# First Session of Annual Meeting (Official Ballot Voting)

Date: March 8, 2022 Time: 1:00 to 7:00 pm

Location: Gilsum Community Center 640 Rte 10, Gilsum NH 03448

Details: Election of Officers

Second Session of Annual Meeting (Transaction of All Other Business)

Date: March 9, 2022 Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Gilsum Community Center 640 Rte 10, Gilsum NH 03448

Details: Town Meeting Vote on Warrant Articles

### **GOVERNING BODY CERTIFICATION**

We certify and attest that on or before <DATE>, a true and attested copy of this document was posted at the place of meeting and at <LOCATION> and that an original was delivered to <OFFICIAL>.

Name	Position	Signature	



# Article 01 Operating Budget

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the budget committees recommended sum of \$611,261 for general municipal operations. This article does not include appropriations contained in special or individual articles addressed separately.

The Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)

### Article 02 Defibrillator

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to be added to the Defibrillator Capital Reserve Fund previously established. (2004)

The Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).

# Article 03 Fire Department Equipment Replacement Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum o\$5,000 to be added to the Fire Department Equipment Replacement Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2014) The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

# Article 04 Breathing Apparatus

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to be added to the Breathing Apparatus Replacement Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2016) The Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

## Article 05 Emergency Management Fund

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be added to the Emergency Management Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2015) The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

## Article 06 Replacement Turn Out Gear

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to be added to the Replacement of Turn Out Gear for the Fire Department Expendable Trust Fund previously established (2018). The Selectmen and Budget Committee Recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

# Article 07 Fire Department Vehicle Ex Trust

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$135,000 to be added to the Fire Department Vehicle Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2002) \$75,000 to come from unassigned fund balance and \$60,000 to be raised from taxation. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

#### Article 08 Minitors

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be added to the Minitors Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2009)

The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)



# Article 09 Legal Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to be added to the Legal Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2004)

The Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

## Article 10 Office Equipment Replacement

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,800 to be added to the Office Equipment Replacement Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2012) \$2,800 to come from the unassigned fund balance and \$1,000 to be raised from taxation.

The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

# Article 11 Office Equipment

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,250 for the purpose of purchasing a new File Server for The Town Office. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

#### Article 12 Revaluation of Town

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be added to the Ex. Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund previously established (2011). The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

#### Article 13 Highway Heavy Equipment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the Highway Department Heavy Equipment Exp. Capital Reserve Fund previously established (2016). \$7,000 to come from the unassigned fund balance and \$13,000 to be raised from taxation. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

# Article 14 Highway Truck

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the Highway Truck Capital Reserve Fund previously established (2009). \$5,320 to come from the unassigned fund balance and \$14,680 to be raised from taxation. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

## Article 15 Vessel Rock Road Culverts

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,000 to be added to the Vessel Rock Road Culverts Expendable Trust Fund previously established. (2019) The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

# Article 16 Church Street and Mack Road Bridges/Culverts

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,000 to be added to the Church Street and Mack Road Bridges/Culverts Expendable Capital Reserve Fund previously established (2017). The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)



# Article 17 Library and Town Office

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to pay for construction of a dividing wall and new entrance for the new Select boards office space and to authorize the withdrawal of \$3,000 from the Library and Town Office Expansion/Renovation Capital Reserve Fund created for such purpose. Fund established (2000). The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

# Article 18 Library and Town Office

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500 for the purpose of completing the library renovations including removing mold from the basement, painting the ceiling, steam cleaning the floor and installing a dehumidifier, updating library electronics and installation of a new flat screen monitor and to authorize the withdrawal of the \$5,500 from the Library/ Town Office Capital Reserve Fund created for such purpose. (Fund established 2000) The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

# Article 19 Cemetery Equipment

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the purpose of purchasing new equipment for the cemetery department. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

#### Article 20 Audit

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,000 for audit purposes. The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

## Article 21 Appointment of Town Treasurer

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Treasurer in accordance with RSA 41:26-e, rather than electing a Town Treasurer. The Selectmen recommend. (Majority vote required)

# Article 22 Appointment of Town Tax Collector

To see if the town will vote to authorize the SELECTMEN to appoint a Town Tax Collector in accordance with RSA 41:2, rather than electing a Town Tax Collector. The Selectmen recommend this. (Majority vote required)

## Article 23 Appointment of Road Agent

To see if the town will vote to authorize the SELECTMEN to appoint a Road Agent in accordance with RSA 231:64, rather than electing a Road Agent. The Selectmen recommend this. (Majority vote required)

# Article 24 Town Clerk 3 year term

To see if the town will vote to change the Town Clerk to be a three year term, per RSA 41:16. If approved, an article shall be placed on the ballot at the next annual meeting. The Selectmen recommend. (Majority vote required)